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SUBJECT: ICRC OFFICIAL VISITS NOUAKCHOTT TO DISCUSS
SAHARA PRISONER QUESTION

REF: A. NOUAKCHOTT 1307; B. GENEVA 5232 AND 4778 (BOTH
NOTAL);C. RABAT 2104 (NOTAL)

1. VISIT REPORTED REF A IS UNDOUBTEDLY CONTINUATION OF
ICRC EXPLORATORY VISITS ON BEHALF OF SAHARAN PRISONERS RE-
PORTED REFS B AND C. MISSION HAS BEEN UNABLE THUS FAR TO
OBTAIN ICRC HEADQUARTERS COMMENTS ON MAURITANIAN VISIT DUE
TO ABSENCES FROM GENEVA OF OFFICIALS DIRECTLY CONCERNED.
HOWEVER, VISIT AND ITS MANNER OF CONDUCT, I.E. NO PUBLICI-
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TY, CONFORM TO NORMAL ICRC PATTERN ON THIS TYPE OF MISSION.
AS NOTED REF B, ICRC HAS BEEN PLEASED WITH THE RESULTS OF
ITS VISITS THUS FAR TO ALGERIA AND MOROCCO.

2. DR. KLOTER IS RETAINED BY ICRC HEADQUARTERS ON OCCASION
FOR VISITS OF THIS TYPE, AND IS PARTICULARLY SPECIALIZED IN
VISITS TO PRISONERS. HOWEVER, IT WOULD BE MISLEADING TO

TERM HIM AN "ASSISTANT" TO THE HEAD OF ICRC, A POST HELD BY
ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL, RICHARD PESTALOZZI.

3. MISSION WILL REPORT FURTHER SHOULD INFORMATION OF
INTEREST ON THIS SUBJECT BECOME AVAILABLE. SORENSON

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